

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA
CHARLOTTE DIVISION

IN RE POLYESTER STAPLE)
ANTITRUST LITIGATION)
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MDL DOCKET NO: 3:03CV1516
Civil Docket No.: 3:03CV266

SPRINGS INDUSTRIES, INC.,)
Plaintiff,)
)
vs.)
)
WELLMAN, INC., et al.,)
Defendants.)
_____)

THIS MATTER comes before the Court on the joint motion of Plaintiff Springs Industries, Incorporated (“Springs”), and Defendant Wellman, Incorporated (“Wellman”) to dismiss Defendant Wellman with prejudice. (*MDL Individual Action No.: 3:03CV266*) Springs does not seek to dismiss any other claims or parties.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the parties’ joint motion is **GRANTED**. Accordingly, Defendant Wellman is **DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE**. Pursuant to the parties’ agreement, each party is to bear its own costs.

Signed: September 2, 2005

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Richard L. Voorhees
United States District Judge



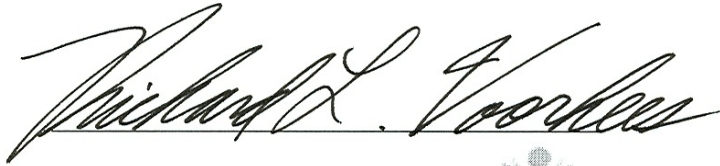
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Richard L. Voorhees
United States District Judge



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Richard L. Voorhees
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